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**RE:** OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE OF APRIL 15, 2005 AND NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMEND.  
JUNE 7, 2005  
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Please find the attached Office Action Response.

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of:

Darren E. Pieczynski

Serial No. ~~10/066,27~~ 10/066267 *cn*

Filed: 02/02/2002

For: Ice Fishing Tip-up Display

Group Art Unit: 3643

Examiner: Rowan, Kurt

AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed April 15, 2005 and phone conference discussion with the examiner of May 4, 2005. It is also now amended to address the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed June 7, 2005. Per phone conversation with Ms. Cofer, the \$100 additional claim fee has been waived and eliminated due to a misunderstanding by Ms. Cofer.

Claim 1 was rejected as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which the applicant regards as the invention. Claim 1 recites the limitation "said flag arm position" in lines 5-6. There is insufficient antecedent basis for this limitation in the claim. Page 7, lines 22 - 25 explain the identification of the flag arm position

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